

EXHIBIT 8

To: 'stephenc@autonomy.com'[stephenc@autonomy.com]
From: Sushovan Hussain
Sent: Sun 4/11/2010 7:42:50 AM
Importance: Normal
Subject: RE: Credit hunt

That would be more difficult given our accounting policy. Oh well.

From: stephenc@autonomy.com [mailto:stephenc@autonomy.com]
Sent: 11 April 2010 12:23
To: Sushovan Hussain
Subject: Re: Credit hunt

Not as simple as that. We are already amortising over 3 years. The question is whether we should defer the start point.

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Sent from my BlackBerry® wireless device

From: "Sushovan Hussain" <sushovanh@autonomy.com>
Date: Sun, 11 Apr 2010 11:55:44 +0100
To: 'Stephen Chamberlain'<stephenc@autonomy.com>
Subject: RE: Credit hunt

Excellent idea – why should we amortise over one year and not 3 years. Deserves the dinner!!

From: Cynthia Watkins [mailto:cynthiaw@autonomy.com]
Sent: 11 April 2010 02:23
To: 'Stephen Chamberlain'
Subject: RE: Credit hunt

One thought, has the filetek software been implemented, as a large part of fee is associated with granting access to 60 customers, maybe we can argue amortizing as customers are assigned, looks like we are OEM their product.

Your thoughts!!

From: Stephen Chamberlain [mailto:stephenc@autonomy.com]
Sent: Friday, April 09, 2010 9:44 AM
To: 'Ganesh Vaidyanathan'; 'Linxwiler, Courtney'; 'Eads, Richard'; 'Matt Stephan'; 'Poppy Prentis'; 'Lisa Harris'; 'Cynthia Watkins - Autonomy'; 'Ying Liu'
Subject: Credit hunt

Nice meal for two approved by SH for the winner.

The winner does not necessarily mean the biggest number. The best qualitative entry wins the prize.

Good luck.

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